

Appl. No. 09/823,105
Amdt. Dated September 7, 2005

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicant is submitting the present amendment under Section 1.312(a) to correct minor informalities in the application.

In the Notice of Allowability, the Examiner provides the Examiner's amendments for claims 1, 8, 16, and 31. However, the antecedent basis in the dependent claims 23 and 38 was not amended accordingly.

Claims 23 and 38 are amended to correct the minor informalities due to the antecedent basis problem. Applicant submits that the amendments introduce no new matter.

Applicant is respectfully requesting the above amendments to be entered prior to issuance of the above-identified application.

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Conclusion

Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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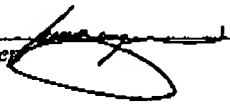
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